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Title: STRESSED SEMICONDUCTOR
DEVICE STRUCTURES HAVING:
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MATERIAL _____ :

RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

In an Office Action mailed September 27, 2005, the Examiner has required an election
under 35 USC 121 of a single disclosed invention for prosecution.

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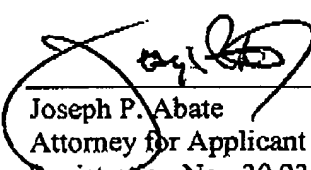
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Applicants elect to prosecute invention I, namely, claims 5 to 12 drawn to a semiconductor device. This election is made without traverse.

Invention II is hereby withdrawn from consideration.

Respectfully submitted,
BRUCE B. DORIS, ET AL.

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